MINUTE ITEM

24. (STATUS OF MAJOR LITIGATION - W. O. 3019, W. O. 721, W. O. 2224 AND W. C. 2274.2.)

The attached Calendar Item 40 was presented to the Commission for information only.

Attachment
Calendar Item 40 (1 page)

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SUPPLEMENTAL - INFORMATIVE

40.

(STATUS OF MAJOR LITIGATION - W. O. 3019, W. O. 721, W. O. 2224 AND W. O. 2274.2.)

1. Case No. 800-58 WM Civil
U. S. vs. Anchor Oil Corporation, et al.
U.S.D.C., Southern District, Los Angeles County
(Long Beach Subsidence Matter)

W. O. 3019

The U.S.D.C. has fixed January 12, 1959 as the date of hearing on the Federal Government motion for preliminary injunction. All statements, points and authorities, and affidavits in opposition to the motion for preliminary injunction must be filed not later than December 15, 1958. Answers must be served and filed by December 31, 1958. Finally, the court has ordered that any motions with reference to the complaint, together with supporting points and authorities, must be filed by 5:00 p.m., October 20, 1958, and shall be noticed for hearing on November 17, 1958. The Commission's staff is assisting the office of the Attorney General in supplying technical support and background information on this case.

2. Case - U.S.D.C. No. 1178-57 BH
U. S. ex rel.
Carl Whitson vs. State of California, et al.
(Test Constitutionality of Submerged Lands t

W. O. 721

Based upon motions of the defendants, this case was dismissed by the court on September 29, 1958.

People vs. City of Long Beach
Los Angeles Superior Court
(Alamitos Bay Quitclaim Litigation)

W. O. 2224

A complaint for declaratory relief and to quiet title has been filed by the office of the Attorney General to construe an October 15, 1932 quitclaim deed from the City of Long Beach to the State of approximately 800 acres of tide and submerged lands adjacent to Alamitos Bay at the easterly end of the City of Long Beach. This case is at issue, pretrial conference has been held, and trial is set for December 18, 1958.

4. Case No. 56-955, Civil Ios Angeles County of Orange vs. State of California, et al. Superior Court No. 70717

W. O. 2274.2

On October 6, 1958, the plaintiff gave notice of motion for an order to compel the defendant (State) to answer interrogatories more specifically. Plaintiffs have asked for a hearing on this motion on October 17, 1958. The defendants have requested an extension of time on this hearing to October 20, 1958.